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NOVEL PEPTIDES WITH INCREASED + CHARGE AND HYDROPHOBICITY BY SUBSTITUTING ONE OR MORE AMINO ACIDS OF CA-MA PEPTIDE AND

PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITIONS

CONTAINING THEREOF

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on July 3, 2003, rejecting all claims, reconsideration and withdrawal of all rejections is respectfully requested, in view of the provided amendments and remarks and enclosed document(s).

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.

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